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TAGS: PINT, MA, US

SUBJECT: UNAUTHORIZED AIRCRAFT DEPARTURE FROM MADAGASCAR

REF: USDAO TANANARIVE 0181 NOV 74

1. AIRCRAFT THEFT DESCRIBED REFTEL INVOLVED AGM (AMERICAN-GREEK-MALAGASY) COMPANY WHICH LEASED PLANE. AGM NOW BANKRUPT AND PLANE HAS BEEN STORED FOR THREE YEARS. REPPAS, U.S. CITIZEN, IN JAIL HERE IN CONNECTION WITH AGM PROBLEMS, WAS RUMORED TO HAVE ESCAPED IN PLANE IN SENSATIONAL PRESS TREATMENT OF PLANE THEFT HERE. (REPPAS IS STILL IN JAIL.)

2. BECAUSE OF HIGH MALAGASY INTEREST IN PLANE THEFT AND RUMORS OF U.S. INVOLVEMENT, REFTEL WAS PASSED TO ADDRESSEE POSTS. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION CONCERNING MISSING AIRCRAFT TO PASS TO GOMR.
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